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## RENAISSANCE ART

PROMPT: Explain new artistic methods used during the European Renaissance (1350-1600CE).

THESIS STATEMENT: This is your answer to the prompt and outlines the topics/categories you will use in your essay.

- The thesis statement should not answer the questions but provide the topics being covered...

***Argument/answer + A + B + C = Thesis***

1. MY THESIS: During the \_\_\_\_\_,

including \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.

CATEGORIES: Find examples of art that represent each Renaissance art style and record its information AND explain how the style is specifically used in the piece of art.

- Minimum of TWO examples per category

**Example**: Michelangelo's statue "David" ————— it is secularism because the focus is on the human hero, King David, not on the supernatural powers of Jesus or God.

Definition of **CLASSICISM**:

Example 1: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 2: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 3: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Definition of **HUMANISM/INDIVIDUALISM**:

Example 1: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 2: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 3: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Definition of **SECULARISM**:

Example 1: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 2: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Example 3: (artist/title of piece)

Explanation:

Definition of <b><u>LINEAR PERSPECTIVE</u></b> :	
Example 1: (artist/title of piece)	Explanation:
Example 2: (artist/title of piece)	Explanation:
Example 3: (artist/title of piece)	Explanation:

**BODY PARAGRAPH:** Select **ONE** of the categories/topics and create a body paragraph that you would use in a five paragraph essay outlined by your thesis statement.

- Write the paragraph on the backside of this sheet
- Use the following template to make a strong paragraph

1. Topic Sentence: Should introduce the topic (art style) and connect it back to the prompt
2. Explain the topic in order to educate the reader (give the definition of the art style or explain how it's used)
3. Give an example of an artist that used the style and the piece it is found in
4. Explain how/where the style can be seen in the art...maybe the impact of the style on the piece.
5. REPEAT 3&4
6. Conclusion or transitional sentence: summarize/analyze the topic and transition to the content of the next paragraph